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1. In August 1947, six floating cranes, all of them purchased outside Poland, were operating at the port of Szczecin (Stettin). Four of them were 30-ton cranes, one was 60-ton, and the sixth was 100-ton. All were being used to salvage wreckage and clear the Szczecin harbor and the Odra (Oder) River of obstacles to navigation.
2. The 100-ton crane and another smaller crane were working in August on the salvaging of the German passenger liner "Swinemünde", which had been sunk during the war opposite the "Waly Chobrego" pier.

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